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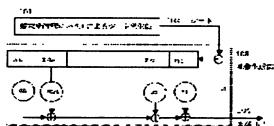
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(54) RANDOM NUMBER GENERATION METHOD

(57)Abstract:

PROBLEM TO BE SOLVED: To generate secure random numbers without any external operation with a simple configuration in a mobile terminal. SOLUTION: A part of information which is not repeatable to temporally irregularly change out of state information generated by a function means, which the mobile terminal has, like a terminal reception radio level is extracted and is taken as sample data. Sample data is inputted to a random number generation part 103 s a seed 102 to generate random numbers 104. Since the same random numbers are not generated from the next timing though the internal state at a certain point of time is copied, this method is safe. Random numbers of high quality can be generated without requiring addition of special parts and materials.



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